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OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

In the Matter of)	No. D06-312
CONGRESS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,)))	CONSENT ORDER IMPOSING A FINE
An Authorized Insurer)	

Findings of Fact:

- Congress Life Insurance Company ("Congress Life") is authorized to conduct insurance 1. business in Washington State. It issues life and disability insurance.
- Congress Life filed its calendar year 2004 Annual Statement, Statement of Actuarial 2. Opinion, and April Supplemental filing with the Office of the Insurance Commissioner ("OIC") on April 26, 2005.
- Congress Life filed its calendar year 2005 Annual Statement with the OIC on March 7, 2006, and its calendar year 2005 April Supplemental filing on May 10, 2006.

Conclusions of Law:

- Congress Life's failure to timely file its calendar year 2004 and calendar year 2005 Annual Statements and 2004 and 2005 April Supplemental filings with the OIC constitutes four violations of RCW 48.05.250.
- RCW 48.05.185 authorizes the Commissioner to impose a fine in lieu of or in addition to the suspension or revocation of an insurer's certificate of authority.

Consent to Order:

Congress Life consents to the following, in order to resolve this matter without further legal or administrative proceedings. The Insurance Commissioner consents to resolve this matter in consideration of Congress Life's payment of a fine as set forth below.

- Congress Life consents to the entry of the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, and acknowledges its duty to comply fully with all applicable laws and regulations of the State of Washington. It waives further administrative or legal challenge to the actions taken by the Insurance Commissioner that are related to the subject matter of this Order.
- Within thirty days of the entry of this Order, Congress Life will pay to the Insurance Commissioner a fine in the amount of \$2,000 (two thousand dollars).

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Failure to pay the fine in full within thirty days of the entry of this order will constitute 3. grounds for revocation of the certificate of authority held by Congress Life in Washington State. It will also result in a civil action being brought by the Attorney General on behalf of the Insurance Commissioner, to recover the fine. Executed this 29th day of November, 2006. CONGRESS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY By: Ken B Terullege Printed Name: Key B. Tehwilleger
Printed Corporate Title: Secre tary Pursuant to the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Consent to Order, the Insurance Commissioner orders as follows: Order: Congress Life Insurance Company is ordered to pay, within thirty days of the entry of this order, a fine in the amount of \$2,000 (two thousand dollars). Failure to pay the fine timely and in full will constitute grounds for revocation of the certificate of authority held by the insurer in Washington State. It will also result in a civil action being brought by the Attorney General on behalf of the Insurance Commissioner, to recover the fine. Executed this day of Dremhus, 2006 MIKE KREIDLER Insurance Commissioner Marcia G. Stickler

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